GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CONSUMER AFFAIRS AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2016
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PROTECTION OF STOCK
BOLLA BULLI RAMAIAH;KINJARAPU YERRANNAIDU

Will the Minister of CONSUMER AFFAIRS AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government are aware that the naxals looted about 1000 bags of rice, wheat and sugar from Anantapur District in Andhra Pradesh on June 17, 2000;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether the godowns were not guarded;

(d) if not, the reasons therefor; and

(e) the policy of the Government to protect the godowns/such areas?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION (SHRI CHAUHAN)

(a) & (b): No, Sir. No such incident of looting of foodgrains has been reported to the Government.

(c) & (d): Do not arise.

(e) The Food Corporation of India has its watch and ward staff to protect the foodgrains stocks and its property.